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DAIRY SUBJECTS HAVE ATTENTION

County Agent Harwell has been holding a series of meetings at different places in the county during the past week, the principal subject of discussion being the dairy industry and silos. Prof. Latta of the State College came Monday and has been assisting Mr. Harwell this week, beginning Monday evening.

So far the meetings held have been at the following named places with an attendance as noted:

Last Friday at Lucy, attendance 60.

Monday at Tenorio school house, attendance 40.

Monday evening at Cedarvale, attendance 150.

Tuesday evening at Progresso, attendance 38.

Wednesday evening at McIntosh, attendance 38.

Tonight a meeting will be held at Pine Grove.

Meetings for Friday and Saturday have not been definitely arranged at this writing.

Reports are that interest in the dairy and silo questions is strong, and growing all the time. Many are planning to build silos this season if indications for good crops continue favorable a few more weeks.

A little later we will try to get together and print all the information available as to silo plans for the current season.

We firmly believe that the silo is going to prove a prime factor in the development of the county, and therefore we are very glad to see the increasing interest in the subject.

VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The village council held a meeting April 13th and canvassed the vote cast at the election and declared the result. H. C. Williams, who was elected clerk, declined to qualify, and doubtless some one will be appointed soon.

The following bills were allowed and warrants issued:

J. H. Fenley judge of election \$2.00

N. A. Wells 2.00

Eugenio Brito 2 months salary as marshal and dragging off burro 11.00

C. Romero mdse for Combs 4.20

J. A. Constant, printing 2.90

F. H. Ayers preparing statement of taxes 3.50

Key Ward helping set trees 3.50

Neal Jensen, rent Co. Agt. 45.00

B. Freilinger lumber 1.00

E. Brito repair park fence 3.00

dragging off dog 3.50

B. Cain work setting trees 4.50

L. H. Marchant repair pump 3.50

John Shirley, 1 day's work with team hauling water 3.50

E. C. Hays hauling gravel and fixing walk 17.00

Est. L. Co coal padlock etc 5.55

Kemp Bros hauling cinders work on streets etc 3.90

S. E. Kemp clerk 6.00

S. N. Shirley hauling 1 dog 1.00

J. L. Stubblefield trees and setting out trees 40.15

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School at 10 a. m. and Epworth League service at 6:30 p. m.

There will be services in Cedarvale next Sunday, April 30th, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. B. Anderson will have charge of the services.

The official board of the Methodist church of Estancia will meet next Tuesday evening at 7:30 for the monthly meeting.

NOTICE TO DEMOCRATS

Central Committeemen:—Hold your primaries Saturday, the 6th of May.

The county convention will be held at Estancia, Friday, the 12th day of May, 1916, to select delegates to the State Convention at Albuquerque, May 24th.

By instructions of the chairman, J. N. Burton.

Ralph G. Roberson, Sec. Estancia, April 26, 1916.

LOCAL MATTERS OF INTEREST

Miss Ethel Swartz returned to Oklahoma last Friday.

For sale, Shorthorn bull calf 10 months old.—J. M. Caddy.

Mrs. Cleofes Romero returned to Santa Fe this morning.

The Estancia Lumber Company got in a car of Alfalfa yesterday.

The State Fair dates have been fixed this year for October 11 to 16 inclusive.

Fine Clothes.—For an up-to-date suit, and guaranteed fit, see S. N. Jensen.

Fred Fornoff has been elected a delegate to the national convention by the Progressives.

For sale, 160 acres deeded land, 6 miles west of Stanley, N. M. Write Box 26, Alamogordo, N. M.

The Woman's Club have another play in the course of preparation, to be given at some time in the future.

J. A. Birkes has rented the Brittain place near McIntosh, and will move there as soon as the weather settles.

Mrs. Shields, who lives with the Garvin family northeast of town, went to Santa Fe Tuesday, to consult a physician.

Word from Ward Turner is to the effect that he is slowly improving, and it is expected that he will be able to come home shortly.

Fred Brown and his son Freddie, from Oklahoma, were here Wednesday with Mr. Walter of Negra. They are looking the country over with a view to locating.

J. H. Dennis, who came in a few weeks ago, has rented the Kemp house in town and moved in last week. Mr. Dennis has leased nine sections of state land lying in the northeast part of this county and in Santa Fe county, where he will make a stock ranch.

Ben Sawyer, an acquaintance of Messrs. McClintock and Birkes from Kennedy, Texas, came in with a car of household goods and live stock a few days ago. He has rented a place near McIntosh and will take his time to look about for a permanent location.

The mill men in the mountains are complaining of the bad conditions for logging. The mountain sides and canyons are so boggy that very little can be done. Meanwhile lumbermen are fretting about orders for many cars of lumber they are unable to fill on account of these conditions.

The Robert Taylor place has been rented to Bud Montgomery, of Sweetwater, Texas, who will be here with his family shortly. Mr. Montgomery has leased twelve sections of state land lying on each side of the Torrance-Santa Fe county line northeast of here, and will improve and stock it. We understand that Mr. Montgomery and J. H. Dennis, who has leased land in the same vicinity, will ship in a drilling outfit and try to find water on their leases.

The Albuquerque Journal is quite sure that the Bursum-Hubbell forces controlled the Republican state convention at Albuquerque, the result foreshadowing the success of that faction in the next state convention, while the Herald is just as sure that the Romero-Catron forces controlled and that the latter will be successful in the later state convention, and there you are.

The weather for the past week has been warm until Tuesday night, when there was a rain which registered .12 of an inch at Estancia, and it turned cool.

Prof. Scott of Mountainair was here last Saturday and Sunday.

L. P. Walter, the Negra merchant, was in Estancia yesterday.

H. F. Matthews has been called to Albuquerque by the illness of his son, Albert.

The Order of Eastern Star held an all day session last Thursday, serving dinner at noon.

Grace Goodin is making arrangements to go to Albuquerque to reside, and will sell her household goods.

My household goods will be sold at public auction at my home Saturday, April 29, at 1:30 p. m.—Grace Goodin.

The Woman's Club of Moriarty will give a play next Friday night, April 28, at the club room at Estancia. Admission 15 and 25c. Everybody invited.

County Agent Harwell tells us that some of the cutworm moths have been observed flying, and there is good prospect that a large portion of the cutworms will be gone before the crops which they usually damage come on, so that the prospect is for small cutworm damage this year.

The Rebekah lodge entertained the Odd Fellows and their families Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Wood. The affair was in honor of the anniversary of the Odd Fellows. The ladies served a bountiful supper and the evening was very much enjoyed by all present.

G. W. Ferrel has bought the E. C. Sterling quarter and the Sula Wells Lantz quarter southwest of town, and leased the school section, 16-6-8. He has also leased the La Jara ranch in the Chilili Grant, belonging to the McIntosh estate, and will move to the latter place next week.

The Democratic committee meeting last Saturday was very well attended. J. F. Lasater, the chairman, had resigned because his health would not permit him to give the duties of the place the attention necessary in a campaign year. J. R. Burton was elected to fill the vacancy. It was decided to call a county convention to be held in Estancia May 12th, the precinct meetings to be held May 6th.

On Friday, April 21st, Mrs. Mason entertained a number of guests at an elaborate dinner party in honor of her own and Miss Nellie Williams' birthday. There were sixteen present and everyone reports an excellent time, although they were all disappointed when they found that Mrs. Mason had neglected to put the candles on her birthday cake.

Miss Nellie Williams was hostess to twenty-five or thirty of her little friends Friday afternoon at a birthday party. The hours were from 2:30 to 5, and the time was pleasantly spent in juvenile games of all kinds. The mother of the little hostess, assisted by Mrs. Mason, served a very dainty luncheon at the close of the afternoon. Nellie was the recipient of many pretty birthday presents.

Mrs. Chas. Isenhardt died Monday, April 17th. She had been ill a long time with cancer. The Isenhardt family were among the early settlers in the valley, having located about 1905 or 1906. They lived about five miles north of Mountainair. Besides the husband she leaves a son aged ten or twelve years and a son and daughter married.

The troubles flowing from the business disagreement and personal encounter between George Pope and Ed Ogilvie mentioned several weeks ago, are proceeding apace. During the past week Pope filed charges against Ogilvie containing four counts of burglary and larceny. Ogilvie has begun proceedings to sell the burros he was taking care of, claiming that about \$300 is due him, while Pope claims that the debt cannot be more than \$20. Ogilvie's preliminary hearing on the felony charges came up in justice court at McIntosh Monday, but trial was deferred pending an effort by the attorneys to have the matter of Ogilvie's claim arbitrated. It would be a very fine thing for both parties to the dispute and the taxpayers of the county if the whole thing could be wiped off the slate.

The delegates from New Mexico to the Republican national convention are Senators Fall and Catron, Congressman Hernandez, Dr. J. M. Cunningham of Las Vegas, Eufraico Gallegos of Union county, and Eduardo M. Otero of Los Lunas. Charles A. Spiess of Las Vegas was re-elected national committeeman.

Mrs. Grant is quite sick again.

Mrs. Cesario Garcia of Manzano is reported very ill.

For sale, 70 head of hogs—Acasio Gallegos, Torreon.

Cleofes Romero went to Albuquerque the first of the week.

For sale, some good surrys, buggies and harness.—Kemp Bros.

D. R. Lamb of Moriarty was in Estancia on business Wednesday.

Deputy County Clerk T. B. Rapkovich went to Santa Fe Saturday.

Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for setting, 15 for 50c.—L. A. Rousseau.

C. E. Hutchinson of Moriarty was in Estancia on business last Saturday.

Mrs. Fornoff's and Mrs. Amble's children are just recovering from the measles.

Juan C. Jaramillo, the Torreon merchant, was in Estancia last Saturday on business.

Della Means did not accompany the family to Socorro last week. She left for that place Sunday.

John B. Williams, a rancher who lives east of Moriarty, was a business visitor in the county seat Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Cooper at Willard, Friday, April 21, a son. Mr. Cooper is the Santa Fe water service man at Willard.

Mrs. Maxwell has been in town for a few days. They will camp for the summer in the Pedernals beyond the Allan MacGillivray ranch.

J. S. Kelly and A. J. Green have bought the three cars of whiteface cows that were shipped in recently to be sold by the former.

C. B. Roland, whose injury by a falling shed was mentioned several weeks ago, is now up and around and is expected to fully recover in a short time.

E. L. Smith has taken a three months lay-off from railroad work. He went to the ranch at Cedarvale last Friday, where he will do some farming this summer.

H. G. Souders and family were over from Encino Monday. Mr. Souders is the new hotel man at Encino, and also has a ranch and a good bunch of cattle near there. He came recently from near Dodge City, Kansas.

Notwithstanding the blustery and disagreeable weather on Wednesday night of last week, there was a very good attendance at the entertainment given by J. Olen Leach, impersonator, under the auspices of the Young People's society at the M. E. church. The entertainment was good, and Mr. Leach received many compliments on his work.

For the past three weeks the water from Manzano or Mesteno draw has been flowing across the railroad between here and Willard. The crossing has been practically impassable for automobiles for the past two weeks, and autoists have been making a detour to the west, crossing the draw at the Saturnino Lueas place. The water there is as deep as autos can negotiate, but the bottom is gravel and they make it all right.

The eightieth birthday of N. A. Wells is approaching, and will be here directly, or, he is approaching his eightieth birthday, just as you please. Anyhow, he and it are both coming, and preparatory to celebrating the event in proper style, Mr. Wells has been "dropping into poetry." To do him full justice, however, we must state that in mitigation he agrees not to repeat the offense at the end of another four score years.

The Willard lumber yard was destroyed by fire Friday night last week. The impression seems to prevail among many people of the town that the fire was of incendiary origin. It had been in litigation between Mr. Whitney and Dr. Ottosen. Dr. Ottosen had been east and returned the night of the fire, arriving in time to see the embers. We are not informed as to whether there was insurance on the stuff or not.

A USEFUL ORGANIZATION

The second number of the New Mexico Tax Review, the official publication of the Taxpayers' Association of New Mexico, has just been distributed and bears out the promise of the February number that this publication, like the association it represents, is going to prove a source of valuable information and of important improvement in the taxation conditions of our state. The leading article in the March number is a study of "Municipal School Finances and Achievements in New Mexico," by Director A. E. James of the Taxpayers Association, and is an interesting analysis of the conditions in our municipal schools. It points out various phases of municipal management wherein improvement can be brought about, but generally reflects the prevailing opinion that schools of this class in New Mexico are well managed and well taught.

Mr. James continues his series of educational articles on the theory of public finance, and there are various other articles of direct interest to New Mexico taxpayers in the number. Since the first issue of the Tax Review more than 100 members have been added to the Taxpayers' Association, and it is clear that this organization is one which has come to stay and which will receive more and more of support and backing from the taxpaying citizenship of the state as the usefulness of the association continues to be demonstrated.

GOOD WORK

The home talent performance under the auspices of the Woman's Club was given last Friday evening, having been postponed the previous Friday on account of the storm. Although the change of date was not well advertised, the attendance was very good. The performance was good—away above the average of amateur theatricals, and the audience was pleased and well entertained. Those who took part in the play—Mr. and Mrs. Parrett, Miss Porter, Mr. Clark and Mr. Mrs. Burton, did exceedingly well. Variety was given to the entertainment by readings by Miss Dorothy Bowman and Miss Della Means, a vocal solo by Miss Crawford, piano solos by Mrs. Clark and Mr. Munch, and a violin solo by Mr. Arnold, all of which were excellently rendered.

The Woman's Club does a service to the community in getting up such entertainments. The performance is to be given in Moriarty Saturday night, the 29th.

NOTICE TO CITIZENS OF ESTANCIA

Ordinance No. 2 of the city of Estancia governing the dog law, requires each and every dog shall be assessed the sum of one dollar for each male dog and three dollars for each female dog. This assessment falls due the first day of May and is expected to be paid at that time.

From now on all stock caught on the streets of the city of Estancia shall be put in the pound and it will require one dollar a head to get them out, and if left long enough to be necessary to feed such stock the same will be charged to the owner. This is being done to protect trees that are planted along the streets of the city, and must be enforced.—C. E. Ewing, Mayor.

Ten more convicts were brought from Santa Fe yesterday by Will Rogers, mail clerk at the penitentiary. The men will be put to work on the Tijeras canyon road. Including these ten, there are now more than fifty convicts at work on this road.—Albuquerque Journal.


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Mrs. Eunice Peterson left Tuesday for San Pedro, where she will stay for a time. She has arranged with J. E. Braxton to put in a crop for her on her claim, do some fencing, build a better house, put down a well, etc.

J. M. Anglin and L. C. Maxey came in Saturday from Graford, Texas, with a car of live stock and household goods. The former is a kinsman of Van W. Lane, and they will stop with Mr. Lane for the present.

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